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SONGS ON THE WAY TO THE BATTLEFIELD: AN INCIDENT ON THE TRANS-SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

Mr. Julius Price writes: "During the eight days' journey in the train from Moscow to Irkutsk, in company with Russian officers going to the front, the dining-car was used as a sort of club room, in which we all met, not only at meal-times, but at all hours of the day, and, I must add, often late at night also. In the saloon there was a piano, and, as we had several good musicians among us, delightful impromptu concerts were frequently held after dinner. The instrument the officer in my sketch is playing is known in Russia as the 'Balilika.' It is a sort of zither, and has a very pretty tone."

—Illustrated London News.

GREAT CARGO OF BANANAS FROM HILO TO SAN FRANCISCO

HILO, Jan. 12.—The steamer Enterprise which left here on Tuesday for San Francisco carried, besides a good sized cargo of sugar from Honolulu and Hilo, the banner crop of bananas, the number of bunches being 8,791. This is the largest shipment ever made from Hilo. The passengers for the coast were Dr. M. Wachs; Mr. Purdy, formerly engineer on the Hilo Railway; R. I. Lillie, and about twenty Japanese.

FOR CLEAN STREETS.

E. H. Lyman has written to the Governor an offer of a certain amount per ton for street sweepings and beach sand. The Governor has turned over the communication to the Superintendent of Public Works for investigation and report. The sweepings are now and have been for years gathered by laborers from Hilo Sugar Co. and carted to the plantation and used for fertilizer. The sand is packed in bags and used for ballast. Mr. Lyman says he is ready to enter into a contract to keep the streets free from such accumulations as are now gathered by the plantation people and that he is willing to pay for it.

GOING TO THE FAR NORTH.

Captain Elderts and two of his sons, Charles and John, will leave here in March for Alberta in the British possessions, with a view to locating at a point south of Edmonton. They have been in correspondence with the land officials there for some time and have been advised that each person may take a quarter section, 160 acres, of farming land and that the government will aid them in every possible way. The cost of the land will be ten dollars for the entire tract and the final papers will be given when fifteen acres are put under cultivation. Captain Elderts says they will each take up a quarter section and if the laws allow it each of his daughters will take up the same amount of land. The government offers every assistance to prospective settlers and will send an agent with the homesteaders to assist in locating desirable land.

Captain Elderts has resided in Hawaii for fifty years, having gone to the State but once during that time and that was during the Fraser River excitement in 1856. He has resided in Puna for years and was once the owner of a great many cattle there. Of late years he has been a deputy sheriff. He is eighty-four years of age and as erect and hearty as a boy of twenty. He does not dread the cold winters of the North and points to the fact that the Hawaiians who go up in the Arctic stand the rigors of a northern winter better than those of any other nationality.

HILO LIKES HENRY.

"High Sheriff Henry," says the Herald, "is a good fellow with

a whole lot more sense and judgment than the average government official of this Territory. He met a few of the citizens and told them what he was here for. He made no attempt to pry around in the dark or do any sneaky work, he was open free and above board. He found out that the greatest kickers are those who have personal grievances and that aside from those men, and there are few of them, he found no complaints."

NOTES OF THE TOWN.

The Rev. Walter C. Stewart has, by request, arranged for a series of informal talks on the Church, Her History, Creed, and Ritual, in St. James chapel on Friday evenings. The first of these will be held next Friday at 8 o'clock; and all are cordially invited to be present.

The jurors who sat during the last term of court have been excused and unless there should be great necessity for their presence they will not be called upon to serve during the present year. When they last appeared in court it was stated that there was but one more case to be tried and that the jury would not be required until after the holidays. In the meantime the jury commissioners selected names of persons to act during this year and until a new jury list is prepared. The same law obtains in the case of the former jury, and as the new one has been called they are dismissed.

Rev. S. L. Desha has been selected by Governor Carter to be chaplain in the next Legislature.

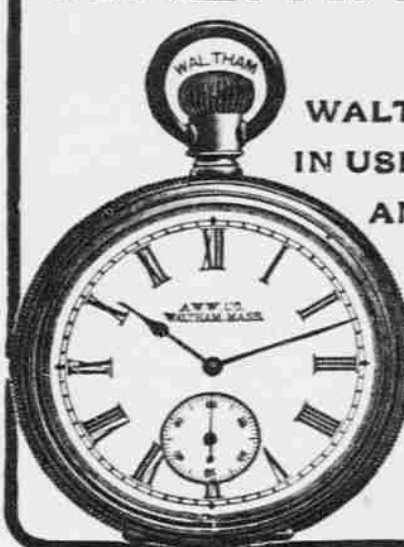
W. H. Lambert and A. Richley have a contract to cut koa timber from the forest back of the Volcano House.

John Lycurgus drove his horse "Democrat" to the Volcano yesterday in six hours.

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